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TAGS: SHUM, AR  
SUBJECT: TIMERMAN HOUSE ARREST: RULES, SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS

1. TIMERMAN WAS TRANSFERRED TO HIS HOME  
(APRIL 17) IN A LARGE FEDERAL POLICE MOTORCADE. THE  
MOTORCADE CONTAINED FIVE PATROL CARS AND WAS FOLLOWED  
BY AN ARMED PERSONNEL CARRIER. THE ENTIRE BLOCK IN  
FRONT OF TIMERMAN'S APARTMENT WAS CORDONED OFF AND ALL  
TRAFFIC FOR A TIME STOPPED.

2. FEDERAL POLICE HAVE INFORMED THE LOCAL PRESS THAT  
A TWENTYFOUR GUARD SERVICE WILL BE MAINTAINED AT  
TIMERMAN'S BUENOS AIRES APARTMENT. IN ALL 52 POLICE  
GUARDS WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE TIMERMAN DETAIL  
(FOUR SHIFTS OF 13 MEN). 3 GUARDS WILL BE STATIONED  
OUTSIDE TIMERMAN'S BUILDING AND 10 GUARDS WILL BE  
STATIONED IN THE BUILDING--IN THE LOBBY, ON HIS  
APARTMENT'S FLOOR AND EVEN TWO IN THE TIMERMAN APARTMENT.

3. IN ADDITION TO CONTROLLING ADMISSION TO THE TIMERMAN APART-  
MENT, THE GUARDS WHO WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROLLING ALL MAIL AND  
PHONE CALLS RECEIVED IN THE HOME AND TIMERMAN WILL HAVE PETTY  
RESTRICTIONS LIKE AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BAN. ONLY HIS  
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IMMEDIATE FAMILY (WIFE AND SON) WILL BE ALLOWED TO SEE  
HIM REGULARLY. HIS BROTHERS MAY SEE HIM ONLY FROM 14:00  
TO 16:00 HOURS ON SATURDAYS. ALL OTHER VISITORS MUST HAVE  
SPECIAL PERMISSION FROM THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR.

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4. THE ELABORATE SECURITY PRECAUTIONS AT THE TIMERMAN'S RESIDENCE INDICATE THE GOVERNMENT'S SENSITIVITY THAT SOME ACTION MIGHT BE TAKEN AGAINST HIM.

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